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Senator Sullivan, Mississippi's new Senator, was sworn in Tuesday.

Congressman Jerry Simpson wants to go to the front and has asked for a command in the volunteer navy.

Capt. J. E. Brady, the new press censor for the State of Florida, has reported for duty at Tampa and is now engaged in suppressing news.

The Southern troops at Chickamauga are giving their Northern brethren instructions in the "rebel yell" and it is used to greet every fresh arrival of soldiers.

The Supreme Court has given the civil service law another black eye, in a decision sustaining the right of collectors to remove gaugers and storekeeper at will.

There is already talk of introducing a bill in Congress to change the name of the Philippines to the Dewey Islands. It would perhaps be well enough to wait until our rights are recognized by other nations.

The latest move of the Courier-Journal to run out the Dispatch is a cut in the price of its weekly edition to the cost of mailing and to have country papers willing to do so give it away as a premium.

Gen. Miles, the head of the army, is a member of the Baptist church, and his chief interpreter in the coming invasion will be Rev. Diaz, the Baptist missionary who was expelled from Cuba about two years ago.

The President has nominated Oscar S. Strauss, of New York, to be Minister to Turkey, vice Jas. B. Angell resigned. Mr. Strauss was formerly a Democrat and filled the same position during Cleveland's second term.

Colson having become a Colonel in the army, Judge Vincent Boring is likely to be his successor in Congress from Kentucky's banner Republican district. Boring will run whether Colson is a candidate or not.

The efforts of the mutual friends of Ollie James and Charlie Wheeler to keep down a bitter contest in the First district have been successful and the former has withdrawn from the race for Congress. This insures Wheeler the Democratic nomination without opposition.

Senator Sullivan, of Mississippi, and Senator Corbett, of Oregon, will of course vote to confirm the nomination of Gen. Fitzsimmons, P. S. The gentlemen herein referred to are statesmen not pugilists. Great men of different callings sometimes bear similar names.

The Courier-Journal published in full Senator Lindsay's speech supporting his vote with the Republicans on the revenue bill. The Senator advocated a bond issue, opposing an issue of greenbacks and a tax on corporations for war purposes.

The British steamer Belvidere was discovered wrecked and abandoned off Cape Maysi. The Belvidere was bound from Kingston, Jamaica, for New York, and among her passengers was Senor Capote, Vice President of the Cuban Republic.

Gen. M. C. Butler rode a white horse in the Virginia campaign and was a conspicuous target until the animal was killed under him. In discussing the matter with Gen. Alger this week, he said he would select a horse of some other color for service in Cuba.

The Court of Appeals will adjourn for the summer vacation June 25, unless there is some unforeseen cause for an extension of the term. Several big causes of importance will probably be decided during the remaining weeks of the present term. Among these are included the Prison Commissioner case, the Third Appellate district case and the Covington Councilmen's contempt case.

The Democratic State Central Committee met Tuesday and approved the list of city and county precinct committeemen for the fifth district submitted by Mr. John L. Dunlap. It is the same list objected to by Chairman P. P. Johnston. Maj. Johnston did not attend the meeting at which his action in the matter was overruled. It is claimed by Maj. Johnston's friends that the committees were reorganized in the interest of Senator Gobel's candidacy for Governor next year.

Two torpedo boats on Monday night slipped out of the harbor at Santiago and attempted to attack the Texas. They were discovered and fire opened upon them by the Texas and the Brooklyn and they were chased back into port. The Texas is the battleship upon which Lieut. Cyrus S. Radford, of this city, is an officer.

The new regiment of Nebraska volunteers, of which Hon. W. J. Bryan is to be Colonel, is now being recruited under the orders of the President. Mr. Bryan has declined an appointment by Gov. Stephens, of Missouri, giving as a reason that he preferred to stay with "the Nebraska boys."

PRESS CONVENTION.

An Elaborate Literary Program Announced.

The coming meeting of the Kentucky Press Association promises to be one of the most interesting and enjoyable in the history of the organization. The following literary programme for the meeting has been announced by the Executive Committee.

Annual Address—President Lovington W. Gaines, Elkton Progress.

The Influence of the Press—B. A. Enloe, Louisville Dispatch.

The Relation of the City to the Country Press—H. A. Sommers, Elizabethtown News.

Typographical Excellence: Its importance and How Obtained.—C. C. Pare, Glasgow News; John Babage, Breckinridge News; C. C. Howard, Larue Herald.

How to Build and Hold a Subscription List—John Vreeland, Farmers' Home Journal; M. F. Conley, Big Sandy News; Joe Williams, Pendletonian.

The Premium Plan to Increase Subscriptions—J. R. Collier, Franklin Favorite.

Our Libel Laws—Urey Woodson, Owensboro Messenger; Sam Roberts, Lexington Leader; Arthur Ford, Courier-Journal.

How to Build Up Advertising—John B. Gaines, Park City Times; Dan Bomar, Woodford Sun.

The Improvement in Kentucky Newspapers—Green R. Kellar, Carlisle Mercury; Pat McDonald, Frankfort Argus.

Illustrations for the Press—Robert Hughes, Louisville Commercial.

Plate Matter and Ready Print—D. B. Wallace, Warsaw Independent; C. E. McCormack, Bullitt Pioneer; J. O. Cooper, Bluegrass Clipper.

Tribute to the Late Henry Stanton—J. Stoddard Johnson.

The Newspaper Man in Politics—J. M. Richardson, Glasgow Times; Emmet Orr, Owenton News.

The Easy Side of Country Journalism—Wallace McKay, Salt River Tiger.

Starting a Daily Paper—Chas. M. Meacham, Hopkinsville Kentuckian; J. J. Glenn, Madisonville Hustler.

The Importance of a Good Foreman—Harry McCarty, Jessamine Journal; Ed D. Shinnick, Shelbyville Sentinel.

The Head Line—J. W. Harris, Louisville Post.

The Road to Success in Country Journalism—John H. Westover, Williamstown Courier.

All papers are limited to ten minutes. All papers of practical nature are expected to be discussed by other members of the association. Members assigned to duty who find it impossible to attend the meeting are requested to send their papers to the meeting so that they can be read.

LETTER FROM CALIFORNIA.

A Former Hopkinsville Boy Writes of the Soldiers For Manila.

(Correspondence.)

San Francisco, Cal., May 24, 1898. Fifteen thousand four hundred and sixty-five officers and enlisted men is the total number of soldiers in San Francisco to-day. They are quartered in tents at the Presidio—the beautiful government reservation of 2000 acres. Yesterday the camp was thronged with city folks and it was estimated that not less than 60,000 persons crowded the hills and the graveled avenues around the tents. The news that the First Infantry of the United States Army is to leave this morning sent relatives and sweethearts campward by the thousands. So great was the traffic on the Union Street Railway that the cable broke and thousands were obliged to walk to the reservation.

The honor of the flag has been assailed. The shadow of the flag is over all. Brave and gallant boys from every State have answered the President's call for volunteers. In the far East the volunteers naturally went towards Cuba. But in Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, in the wilds of Wyoming, among the valleys of Utah—everywhere this side of the Missouri—men sprang to answer the call to arms. They had no fear for their own. They lived where the menace of no foreign foe could reach, but they were ready. And for the first time in the history of the nation its defenders will go to foreign shore, there to maintain the flag even at the cost of life.

It is not an invidious distinction to say that of all the troops of the Philippine invading army who have entered the city of San Francisco since the declaration of war those constituting the 13th Minnesota volunteers approached the nearest to the military expert's ideal. The regiment is well known through the East, and for twenty years it has held a high rank in inter-State competitions and contests in which the manual of arms and marksmanship were the contests of excellence. The famous Tenth Pennsylvania regiment joined the mighty column to-day; and thousands more are enroute from beyond the Rockies.

To-night 3,200 soldiers will sleep in their bunks at the steamers City of Peking, the Australia and the City of Sydney. The fleet of transports will be met at Honolulu by the Bennington and thence conveyed by that gunboat to Manila. The troops for the expedition are the Oregon volunteers, the First and Seventh California regiments of volunteers and the Fourteenth United States Infantry. The United States Cruiser Charleston left this harbor for Manila yesterday. She will be followed at once by the most formidable monitor in the world, the U. S. S. Monterey, ordered by the Naval Department to Manila to reinforce the Asiatic squadron. The Monterey is a tower of strength in herself, and her addition to Admiral Dewey's force, together with the dispatch of thousands of troops to Manila, is ample evidence that the administration has assumed no half-hearted attitude toward the Philippine question and is determined to take no chance of dispossession until such time as the United States itself has arranged for the disposition of the islands.

JESSE L. EDMUNDSON.

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Ginseng, per lb. \$2@2.25
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Tub-washed wool 28@30c
Greased 18@20c
Burly wool 10@14c

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Old chickens, live, per lb. 5½@6c
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